

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND  
TRADEMARK OFFICE**

***AMENDMENT***

Applicant: James A. Nielson

Docket No. 1010.2.1

Serial No.: 10/072,552

Group Art Unit: 3694

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Examiner: Scott S. Trotter

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EXTENDING AUTOMATICALLY  
SECURED CREDIT TO BUILDING PROJECT OWNERS AND TO BUILDING  
CONTRACTORS FOR PURCHASING BUILDING SUPPLIES FROM BUILDING  
SUPPLY WHOLESALERS

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
DATED July 31, 2007**

Mail Stop Amendment  
The Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following is responsive to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2007. Applicant respectfully requests a two (2) month extension, the fee for which is included herewith, and reconsideration of the application in view of the following:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE CORRESPONDENCE TO WHICH THIS STATEMENT IS AFFIXED IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE, POSTAGE PAID, AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON:

SIGNED:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.